

PATENT APPLICATION
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q96763

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Group Art Unit: 1632

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Examiner: Not yet assigned

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For: TRITERPENE HYDROXYLASE

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NOTICE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-825

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This communication is fully responsive to the NOTICE TO COMPLY dated April 25, 2007.

In the Notice to Comply, the Examiner states that the present application fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 because a computer-readable copy of the Sequence Listing has not been submitted, and a Statement that the computer-readable form and paper copy are the same has not been submitted.

Applicants enclose herewith copies of the substitute Sequence Listing in paper and computer-readable form, and a Statement in support, that fully addresses the issues raised in the Notice to Comply.

Applicants assert that this Response to the Notice to Comply and the enclosures are being timely filed, and that the enclosures bring the present application in full compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825.

Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner acknowledge that the substitute Sequence Listing meets the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 and that the Examiner enter the substitute Sequence Listing.

It is not believed that any additional extensions of time are necessary beyond what may be submitted with this communication. If any additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required, including fees for net addition of claims, are hereby authorized to be charged to account number 19-4880.

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